

WILLUNGA CATHOLIC PARISH CENTRE

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday: 10.00am - 12.00noon
 Friday: 9.00am - 11.00am
 (If you need to contact the Parish Office outside these hours, please contact 0447 421 948 or 0488 287 552)

NOARLUNGA DOWNS CATHOLIC PRESBYTERY

Phone: 8382 1717

PARISH TEAM CONTACTS

- Fr Josy Sebastian (Parish Priest - 8382 1717; emergency 0452 524 169)
- Fr Roy John (Assistant Priest - 8382 1717)
- Fr Tom Gleeson (Resident Priest - 8557 1072)
- Sr Margaret Ann (Parish worker - 0488 287 552)
- Geraldine and Steve Robinson (Finance - Tuesday am)
- Gael Maloney (Parish Office - Friday am; Newsletter - articles due Wednesday - bahloo2@bigpond.com, 0447 421 948)

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL
 Peter Laffan (phone 8556 3915)

MASS CENTRES

- Mary of Galilee, cnr Quinliven and How Roads, ALDINGA - Galilee
- St Peter's, Cape Jervis Road, NORMANVILLE
- St Joseph's, St Judes St, WILLUNGA

MASS TIMES

- SATURDAY EVENING 5.30pm
 Aldinga Beach (Mary of Galilee)
- FIRST, THIRD, FIFTH SUNDAYS
 8.30am Willunga (St Joseph's)
 10.30am Normanville (St Peter's)
- SECOND, FOURTH SUNDAYS
 8.30am Normanville (St Peter's)
 10.30am Willunga (St Joseph's)

FIRST READING

Acts 2:1-11

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome – Jews and proselytes alike – Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 103:1, 24, 29-31, 34

Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

SECOND READING

Galatians 5:16-25

If you are guided by the Spirit you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence, since self-indulgence



is the opposite of the Spirit, the Spirit is totally against such a thing, and it is precisely because the two are so opposed that you do not always carry out your good intentions. If you are led by the Spirit, no law can touch you. When self-indulgence is at work the results are obvious: fornication, gross indecency and sexual irresponsibility; idolatry and sorcery; feuds and wrangling, jealousy, bad temper and quarrels; disagreements, factions, envy; drunkenness, orgies and similar things. I warn you now, as I warned you before: those who behave like this will not inherit the kingdom of God. What the Spirit brings is very different: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, trustfulness, gentleness and self-control. There can be no law against things like that, of course. You cannot belong to Christ Jesus unless you crucify all self-indulgent passions and desires.

Since the Spirit is our life, let us be directed by the Spirit.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Alleluia!

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BAPTISMS AND MARRIAGES

Please contact the Parish Office

RECONCILIATION

- Aldinga: Saturday 5.00 - 5.20pm
 - Normanville: Second and fourth Sundays at 8.10am
 - Willunga: to be organised
- Reconciliation always available at St Luke's, Noarlunga every Saturday at 9.00am.

ROSARY

10.00am before 10.30am Masses at Normanville. 9.30am on Fridays in the Chapel at Galilee, Aldinga.

QUIET PRAYER

Each day at Willunga for 30 minutes at 7.00am and 5.00pm. All welcome.

REFLECTION GROUPS

Willunga Thursday Group meets weekly to reflect on Gospel for the following Sunday. Parish House, 7.00pm. Fr Tom (8557 1072)

FIRST FRIDAY MASSES

First Friday Mass: Willunga at 9.00am; Normanville at 6.00pm

FAMILY MASSES

Aldinga: 2nd Saturday - 5.30pm

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Galilee Learning Centre	8557 9000
St John the Apostle	8382 2064
All Saints Primary	8327 0020
Cardijn College	8392 9500
Marcellin Tech College	8186 9700

PLAYGROUP

Monday mornings 9.00am - 10.30am in Shared Space, Stage 1, Galilee School, Aldinga. Co-ordinator - Melanie Wilson (8557 9000)

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Meetings held twice monthly - every second Monday of month and the Monday, two weeks later, both at 10am. Meetings are held at the Galilee Community Room, How Rd, Aldinga. Contact: svdp.aldinga@gmail.com

GALILEE

HOUSEKEEPING TEAM

Feel free to contact any member of the committee about issues in the Aldinga community - Fr Josy (8382 1717), David Manders (8556 5667), Francoise or Ken Creevey (8557 6287), Mario Bacchin (8323 9909), Judy Driscoll (8557 7068).

GALILEE OP SHOP

How Road, Aldinga. Open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: 8.45am - 3.00pm
Phone: 0474 107 694



Bulletin Board

REGULAR WEEKDAY MASSES (or COMMUNION SERVICES)

Mon No Masses in Willunga Parish 9.00am - Noarlunga
Tue 9.15am - Aldinga
Wed 9.00am - Willunga
Thur 9am - Willunga
Fri 9am - Willunga
1st Fri 6.00pm - Normanville
(followed by shared meal)

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

The next meeting of the Parish Finance Council will be held this coming Thursday (24 May) in the Parish House, Willunga. If you have any matters for inclusion on the Agenda, please contact any member of the PFC.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY *Ecumenical service, Willunga Uniting Church, 7.30pm Monday 21 May*

The theme this year is "Breaking the chains", recalling the struggles of slaves in the Caribbean, inspired by the Scriptures, to seek freedom. It is a fitting symbol for how Christians from different churches are working together in unity for the coming of the Kingdom in our time.

Organised by Catholic, Uniting, Anglican and Lutheran communities. For further information contact Peter Laffan 8556 3915 or at impe@internode.on.net

BEAT PLASTIC POLLUTION – IF YOU CAN'T REUSE IT, REFUSE IT!

This is the theme for World Environment Day on Tuesday 5 June, recognising the dire impact on creatures and the environment from plastic pollution, and what we can do to prevent it. Join us on Sunday 3 June at 3.00pm at Galilee Community Room, corner of Quinliven and How Rds, Aldinga, as we consider how we can take up this challenge as Catholics - individuals, families and communities.

Organised by Friends of Francis – Catholics working for peace, justice and ecology on the Fleurieu Peninsula. For further information contact Peter Laffan 8556 3915 or at impe@internode.on.net

WEEKDAY MISSAL

We can order weekday missal (containing the 3-year cycles of readings) for anyone who would like one. The cost is \$80 each. Please see Sr Margaret Ann if you would like one.

*Thank
you!*

The **Willunga Conference of St Vincent de Paul** thanks parishioners for their marvellous support to the 2018 St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal.

The total raised from donations from parishioners was \$1,938.85. This will help the conference to provide food and financial assistance to the numerous needy families and individuals living in our Parish area.

For anyone who would still like to make a donation, there are Winter Appeal reply-paid envelopes in the foyers of the churches. These can be posted to our head office or placed in the collection plates at Mass.

Mario Bacchin

TO GIVE AWAY

Two matching ceiling fans, in good condition and working order - ideal for a workshop, shed etc. Please contact John Hounslow for more details - phone 8556 5484 or 0448 773 639.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA'S HISTORY FESTIVAL

28 April - 31 May

In 1925 Margaret Kelly (known as Granny Kelly) celebrated her 89th birthday and the 69th anniversary of her arrival in the colony of South Australia.

"The Register" recounted that:
She cannot remember the actual date of her birthday, nor is there any record extant, so that her family keep both events on the date known to them, August 2, the day of her landing at Normanville as a girl of about 20 in 1856... The first night they slept in a kind of barn with rats and mice running over them. Next day they heard cowbells in the distance. As it was Sunday they thought them church bells, and the future Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Pine started off to church. They met a young woman on the way, and asked her the way to the township. She



PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Anne Murphy, Paul Brown.

Recently deceased: Archbishop Emeritus Leonard Faulkner, Peg Boland

Anniversaries: Cath Roocke

looked at them in surprise, and told them they were in the township.

Her father brought out £7 with him, which, to his disgust, he had to expend on a bag of flour. However, he prospered, so that at his death he left property to each of his six daughters. Mrs. Comerford was one of these. Her husband (William) used to read the burial service over any deceased Roman Catholic, when a priest was not available.

Granny Kelly has not put foot outside the district since she landed. She has never seen Adelaide or a tramcar... She does her own work, and her house is as clean as a new pin. She has always been most attentive to her religious duties, and seldom failed to attend mass at St. Peter's, Normanville, three miles away, and always observed the fast.

(The Register, August 26, 1925 p13.)

Margaret Kelly (nee Dahill), and her sister, Johanna Comerford, are buried with their husbands in marked graves in St Peter's Cemetery. Another sister, Mary Cheesman, is buried with her husband, John, in the Yankalilla Anglican Cemetery. The graves of several of Margaret and William's

children - Bridget (Backshall), Ellen, William, James and Michael - are also to be found in St Peters Cemetery.

Historical

Walking Tour of Yankalilla

24 May, 10.30am-12 noon (90 mins)
Meet at Bungala House, (on the footpath, please do not enter grounds) 34 Main St, Yankalilla - FREE

Talk - Convict Days: From London's Old Bailey to Tasmania

Friday 25 May, 10.00am-12.00noon
Yankalilla Community Centre, 181 Main South Rd, Yankalilla - FREE
Bookings essential - contact Sandra Skinner (8558 2043 sandraskinner@yankalilla.sa.gov.au)

For information about further History Festival activities, visit <https://historyfestival.sa.gov.au> or contact Yankalilla Bay Visitor Information Centre (phone 8558 0240 or email tourism@yankalilla.sa.gov.au)

Michelle Cormack

"THE SOUTHERN CROSS"

The June edition of "The Southern Cross" will have an additional 4-page colour wrap-around and centre-spread featuring the life of Emeritus Archbishop Leonard Faulkner.

ROSTERS

ALDINGA	Saturday, 19 May	Saturday, 26 May
Welcome	Ros Shoumack	Christina Tiedge
Commentator	Chris Sandow	Chris McWilliams
Readers	Angela Trembath	Christina Tiedge
	David Manders	Brianna McIvor
Eucharistic Ministers	Christine Jones	Rosemary Chamberlain
	Denis Jones	Maria Jarvis-Maack
NORMANVILLE	Sunday, 20 May	Sunday, 27 May
Welcome	Tim Fleming	Mary Kennedy
Commentator/Prayers	Trish Bohnsack	Joan Fogarty
Reader	Patricia Litvinsky	Ann Henriksen
Eucharistic Minister	Ena Harvey	Jim Fitzpatrick
Church Cleaning	Jacqui and David Salkeld	Jacqui and David Salkeld
WILLUNGA	Sunday, 20 May	Sunday, 27 May
Welcome	Joe Rasera	Zagajewska family
Commentary	Michael Hynes	John Hounslow
First Reader	Ian La Ronde	Vanda Farrall
Second Reader	Pauleen Hounslow	Leonie Staunton
Eucharistic Ministers	Jim Smith	Margaret Guley
	Anna Rogers	Norman Lee
Church Cleaning	May Dunn, Tony Harding	Christina Rasera
Counting	Rose Sulda	John Hounslow
Church Linen	Anna Rogers	Margaret Guley

WHAT'S ON

May 24	Parish Finance Council meeting
May 31	St Peter's choir practice
Jun 2	Pastoral Council - Willunga
Jun 10	Propagation of Faith Appeal
Jun 24	Holy Father's Appeal
Jun 28	St Peter's choir practice
Jul 1	NATSIACC Appeal
Jul 7	Pastoral Council - Normanville
Jul 8	Apostleship of the Sea Appeal
Jul 26	St Peter's choir practice
Aug 4	Pastoral Council - Aldinga
Aug 12	Appeal for Vocations
Aug 30	St Peter's choir practice
Aug 15	Assumption of Mary
Sep	Catholic Charities Appeal Month
Sep 1	Pastoral Council - Willunga
Sep 27	St Peter's choir practice
Oct 6	Pastoral Council - Normanville
Oct 21	World Mission Day Appeal
Oct 25	St Peter's choir practice
Nov 1	All Saints' Day
Nov 3	Pastoral Council - Aldinga
Nov 11	St Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal
Nov 29	St Peter's choir practice
Dec 1	Pastoral Council - Willunga
Dec 8	Feast - Immaculate Conception
Dec 25	Appeal for Aboriginal Catholic Ministry

COLLECTIONS

12/13 May, 2018

First collection	\$665.00
Envelopes	\$508.00
Unpledged	\$350.00

Thank you for your support - it is much appreciated.

- I before E except after C, is unscientific.
- Most people are shocked when they find out how incompetent I am as an electrician.
- I wonder what happened to all those people who asked me for directions.

**REGULAR MASS TIMES IN
OUR CLUSTER CHURCHES
ALDINGA**

*Mary of Galilee, the First Disciple
cnr Quinliven and How Roads*
Saturday 5.30pm
Tuesday 9.15am

GOOLWA

St John the Apostle, 10-14 Gardiner St
Sunday 9.00am
Wednesday 9.30am

KINGSCOTE

*Our Lady of Perpetual Help,
cnr Todd and Giles Streets*
Sunday 9.30am

NOARLUNGA

*St Luke, the Evangelist,
cnr Honeypot Rd and Goldsmith Dve*
Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 9.00am
1st Sunday 11am (Spanish Mass)
2nd Sunday 2.00pm (Filipino Mass)
Sunday (Youth Mass) 5.30pm
Monday 9.00am
Tuesday 9.00am
Wednesday 7.30pm
Thursday 8.45am (St Luke's)
Thursday 9.15am (St John's - term time)
Friday 10.00am

NORMANVILLE

St Peter, Cape Jervis Road
1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays 10.30am
2nd, 4th Sundays 8.30am
1st Friday 6.00pm

PARNDANA

2nd, 4th Sunday 2.30pm

PENNESHAW

*St Columba, North Terrace
(shared with Anglicans)*
1st Sunday 2.00pm

SEAFORD

*Seaford Ecumenical Mission,
Grand Bvd*
Sunday 10.45am
Wednesday 9.15am

VICTOR HARBOR

St Joan of Arc, 30 Seaview Road
Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 11.00am
Tuesday 9.00am
Thursday 9.00am
Friday (other than 1st) 9.00am
1st Friday 11.30am

WILLUNGA

St Joseph, 12 St Judes Street
1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays 8.30am
2nd, 4th Sundays 10.30am
Wednesday 9.00am
Thursday 9.00am
Friday 9.00am

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GOSPEL

John 15:26-27, 16:12-15

Jesus said to his disciples:
‘When the Advocate comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who issues from the Father, he will be my witness. And you too will be witnesses, because you have been with me from the outset.

‘I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine.

Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.’

DID YOU KNOW?

- The reason why the disciples were in Jerusalem on the day of Pentecost was that they were celebrating the Jewish Harvest Festival which occurs fifty days after the Passover. This festival also celebrated the covenant made by God with the people of Israel on Mt Sinai.
- The Christian feast of Pentecost is fifty days after Easter Sunday and marks the culmination and closure of the Lent- Easter-Pentecost cycle.
- The word for spirit in Hebrew is the feminine ‘ruah’, meaning literally breath, wind or air.

EXPLORING THE WORD

This text again comes from the farewell discourse of Jesus to the disciples in John’s Gospel. In it he promises to send the Advocate to them. An advocate is one who stands by in times of trial or difficulty, defending, guiding and instructing. In many ways the Spirit is the ongoing presence of Jesus with his disciples in all ages and these texts give an

eloquent instruction on the reason for God’s gift of the Spirit. The Spirit will witness to the truth which comes from the Father through the Son. The Spirit will guide the Church’s future understandings as they gradually unfold. The Spirit will be the link between the Father, the now absent Son and the ongoing unfolding of the complete truth. The Spirit will inspire the followers of Jesus to continue his mission and will provide assistance and guidance in achieving this. No single set of human beings could completely know the implications of the Christ event. It is the Advocate, the Spirit of Truth sent by Jesus from the Father, who will accompany the Church through the whole of history, guiding it towards the complete truth.

MAKING CONNECTIONS

- Are there people you still have ‘many things to say to’? Is it important that such things are said?
- In what ways have you been lead to the complete truth?
- How do you experience the Spirit present in your life?

THIS WEEK’S READINGS

(21 - 27 May)

- **Monday, 21:** Weekday, Ord Time 7 (James 3:13-18; Mk 9:14-29)
- **Tuesday, 22:** Weekday, Ord Time 7 (James 4:1-10; Mk 9:30-37)
- **Wednesday, 23:** Weekday, Ord Time 7 (James 4:13-17; Mk 9:38-40)
- **Thursday, 24:** OUR LADY, HELP of CHRISTIANS (Prov 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; James 3:13-18; Lk 1:39-56)
- **Friday, 25:** Weekday, Ord Time 7 (James 5:9-12; Mk 10:1-12)
- **Saturday, 26:** St Philip Neri (James 5:13-20; Mk 10:13-16)
- **Sunday 27:** The Most Holy TRINITY (Deut 4:32-34, 39-40; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20)

PASTORAL CARE

If you (or someone you know) is house-bound, in hospital or in residential care and would appreciate a visit from a Priest or someone from the Parish, please let us know.
Contact: Noarlunga/Seaford (8382 1717), Willunga (0488 287 552), Victor Harbor/Goolwa (8552 1084), Kangaroo Island (0418 819 078).